

**UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
DISTRICT OF MINNESOTA**

The Satanic Temple, Inc.

Plaintiff,

v.

City of Belle Plaine, MN,

Defendant.

Case No. 21-CV-00336 (WMW/LIB)

**MEET-AND-CONFER STATEMENT FOR
DEFENDANT'S MOTION FOR
RULE 11 SANCTIONS AGAINST
PLAINTIFF'S COUNSEL**

I hereby certify that, in compliance with Local Rule 7.1(a), I met and conferred with counsel for Plaintiff Satanic Temple, Inc. regarding Defendant City of Belle Plaine's motion for Rule 11 sanctions. Specifically, on February 19, 2021, I served Plaintiff's counsel by email with both the motion and the supporting memorandum that are being filed with the Court today. I also requested that Plaintiff's counsel withdraw their complaint, informed them that Defendant would be preparing a motion to dismiss, and informed them that failure to withdraw the pleading in 21 days would result in our filing the Rule 11 motion with the Court. I received no response to that email. On February 25, I again emailed Plaintiff's counsel and asked if Plaintiff is willing to dismiss its complaint. I received no response to that second email.

Dated: March 15, 2021

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